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1. THE [] HAS ASKED THE DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF THE TEXT OF CIA-Z-395 (WHICH IS THE SAME AS REFERENCE) [] DIA IN TURN HAS ASKED [] FOR A DETERMINATION AS TO RELEASIBILITY.

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2. [] REPLY TO DIA IS AS FOLLOWS: "YOUR REQUEST.....HAS BEEN TAKEN UP WITH THE CHAIRMAN, COMOR. IT IS OUR OPINION THAT THE [] SHOULD DISCUSS THE RELEASE OF THE INFORMATION IN CIA-Z-395 WITH THE [] INASMUCH AS THE COS ALREADY MAY HAVE RELEASED THIS DATA TO THE [] SINCE THE COS HAS DIRECT DEALINGS WITH THE [] ON MATTERS DEALING WITH THESE MISSIONS IT WOULD APPEAR DESIRABLE THAT SUCH RELEASES BE HANDLED BY THE COS."

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3. DIA WAS FURTHER ADVISED THAT ".....THE COS WILL HAVE TO BE APPROACHED ON THE BASIS OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE CIA-Z MESSAGE RATHER THAN THE MESSAGE NUMBER."

4. IF YOU CONCUR, PLEASE DISCUSS MATTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE PERSONNEL OF THE [] SO THAT THE MATTER OF RELEASE MAY BE COMPLETED.

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